

PUBLIC COMMENTS FROM MONDAY, 26 FEBRUARY 2007
PLACEMAKING COMMUNITY TOWN HALL MEETING
Tempe Mission Palms, 6-8PM

[Taken from the large, flip chart note pads stationed at the drafts of each of the eight zone maps.]

ZONE 1

- Outline Eisendrath House property ~ 9 acres
- Modify link – multi-use path
- Cord. with County re: bike paths + sidewalks south side of Curry – Scottsdale to Miller – Billboards
- Race Course – Galvin Pkwy. – McDowell – Curry – Washington – Galvin
- Way Finding – Identify:
 - Points of interest
 - Historic Places

ZONE 2

- Childrens' / Family entertainment to TBP – ex. Puppet theater, storytelling, magic, juggling, face painting, choral group
- Miss the little train + other vendors – bike rentals.
- Between the bridges really, really important
- Touching the water – like at Millennium Park in Chicago
- Need a playground for kids
- Work with developer to have visual as well as physical access to Town Lake

ZONE 3

- Acknowledge Historic Resources w/ "Freedom Trail", self-guided tour, maps, signage, etc.
- Gateways:
 - Rio Salado Parkway
 - 5th and Farmer
 - 5th and Ash Avenue
- Mill Avenue Bridges: Old one in particular needs wide sidewalk
- Swimming Pool – historically accurate

ZONE 4

[no written comments]

ZONE 5

- Traffic calming
- Reduce number of vehicle access points
- Use small empty lots as kids playgrounds

ZONE 6

- Butte as a destination / park [enhance access to base and top]
- Develop ASU Arboretum trail as access route to lake
- “Beautify” [?] the Butte [maybe by elimination – eliminate antennae, tanks, etc.]
- Feature Historic Resources – esp. Birchett House – period landscapes
- College Avenue as a strong pedestrian link
- ‘Calm’ University Drive – emphasize crossings / connections to ASU
- Landscape on and around Butte should be strictly native

ZONE 7

[no written comments]

ZONE 8

[no written comments]